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Interview Summary	Application No. 09/682,574	Applicant(s) PANELLI ET AL.	
	Examiner Nicholas D. Rosen	Art Unit 3625	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Nicholas D. Rosen. (3) ____.

(2) Lee Eubanks. (4) ____.

Date of Interview: 11 February 2009.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: ____.

Claim(s) discussed: ____.

Identification of prior art discussed: N/A.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner Rosen left a voicemail message for Mr. Eubanks, who called back later in the day and said that he could not specifically assure that no response to the rejection of 7/31/2008 had been filed, but that he was not aware of anything having been filed, and would not raise an objection to a Notice of Abandonment being sent.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Nicholas D. Rosen/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 3625	
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